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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

8 REECE FREEMAN,

) Case # 2:19-cv-01572-RFB-BNW

9)
10 Plaintiff(s),)
11 vs.)
12 C. R. Bard, Inc., and BARD PERIPHERAL)
13 VASCULAR, INC.)
14 Defendant(s).)
15 _____

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

16 _____ Elizabeth C. Helm _____, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
17 (name of petitioner)

18 1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

19 _____ Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP
(firm name)

20 with offices at _____ 201 17th Street NW, Suite 1700
(street address)

21 _____ Atlanta _____, Georgia _____ _____, 30363 _____,
(city) (state) (zip code)

22 _____ 404-322-6429 _____, _____ kate.helm@nelsonmullins.com _____.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

23 2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

24 _____ Defendants _____ to provide legal representation in connection with
25 [client(s)]

26 the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

1 3. That since 11/1/1987 (date), Petitioner has been and presently is a
 2 member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of Georgia (state)
 3 where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or
 4 from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular
 5 possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying
 6 the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

7 4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
 8 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
 9 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
 10 standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
See Attached		

19 5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
 20 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
 21 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
 22 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

23 None

1 6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give
2 particulars if ever denied admission):

3 | None

6 7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

7 | None

10 8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2
11 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

12	Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
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14	None			Denied <input type="checkbox"/>
15				Denied <input type="checkbox"/>
16				Denied <input type="checkbox"/>
17				Denied <input type="checkbox"/>
18				Denied <input type="checkbox"/>

19 (If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

20 9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the
21 State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same
22 extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

23 10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of
24 the members of the bar of this court.

25 11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to
26 practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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4 STATE OF Georgia }
5 COUNTY OF Fulton }

Elizabeth C. Helm
Petitioner's signature

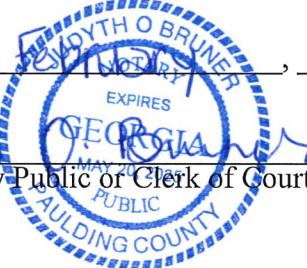
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7 Elizabeth C. Helm, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

8 That the foregoing statements are true.

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10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

11 10th day of February, 2022.
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13 Elizabeth C. Helm
14 Notary Public or Clerk of Court
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Elizabeth C. Helm
Petitioner's signature

16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO
THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

17 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
18 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Eric W. Swanis,
19 (name of local counsel)
20 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
21 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
22 said designated Nevada counsel is:

23 10845 Griffith Peak Drive, Suite 600,
(street address)

24 Las Vegas, Nevada , 89135,
(city) (state) (zip code)

25 702-792-3773, swanise@gtlaw.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.

APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL

7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Eric W. Swanis
8 (name of local counsel)
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

/s/ Candace Camarata
(party's signature)

Candace Camarata, Associate General Counsel Litigation
(type or print party name, title)

(party's signature)

(type or print party name, title)

CONSENT OF DESIGNEE

The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.



Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

6840 swanise@gtlaw.com
Bar number Email address

APPROVED.

Dated: this 24th day of February, 2022.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Elizabeth C. Helm

Courts before which Applicant has been admitted to practice:

Jurisdiction	Date of Admission	Status	In Good Standing?
Georgia Bar No. 289930			
Superior and State Courts of Georgia	06/15/1987	Active	YES
Supreme Court of State of Georgia	11/19/1987	Active	YES
Court of Appeals of State of Georgia	11/19/1987	Active	YES
Court of Appeals, 7 th Circuit	3/06/2020	Active	YES
U.S. District Court, Northern District of Georgia	08/10/1987	Active	YES
U.S. District Court, Middle District of Georgia	01/31/1995	Active	YES
U.S. District Court, Southern District of Texas	07/11/2006	Active	YES
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Wisconsin	11/15/2018	Active	YES
U.S. District Court, Western District of Texas	11/15/2019	Active	YES
U.S. District Court, District of Colorado	06/22/2020	Active	YES



Lawyers Serving the Public and the Justice System

Ms. Elizabeth C. Helm
Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP
201 17th Street NW Suite 1700
Atlanta, GA 30363
UNITED STATES

CURRENT STATUS: Active Member-Good Standing
DATE OF ADMISSION: 06/15/1987
BAR NUMBER: 289930
TODAY'S DATE: 02/14/2022

The prerequisites for practicing law in the State of Georgia are as follows:

- Certified by the Office of Bar Admissions, either by Exam, or on Motion (Reciprocity).
- Sworn in to the Superior Court in Georgia, highest court required to practice law in Georgia.
- Enrolled with the State Bar of Georgia, arm of the Supreme Court of Georgia.

This member is currently in “**good standing**” as termed and defined by **State Bar Rule 1-204**. The member is current in license fees and is not suspended or disbarred as of the date of this letter.

STATE BAR OF GEORGIA

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brinda Lovvorn".

Official Representative of the State Bar of Georgia

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Supreme Court
State of Georgia
NATHAN DEAL JUDICIAL CENTER
Atlanta 30334

February 15, 2022

I hereby certify that Elizabeth C. Helm, Esq., was admitted on the 19th day of November, 1987, as a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of Georgia, the highest court of this State; and, since that date she has been and is now a member of this bar in good standing, as appears from the records and files in this office.

Witness my signature and the seal of this Court
hereto affixed the day and year first above written.

Thure S. Bane, Clerk





THE COURT OF APPEALS
OF THE
STATE OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30334

February 14, 2022

I hereby certify that Elizabeth Helm, Georgia Bar Number 289930, was admitted to the Bar of the Court of Appeals of the State of Georgia on November 19, 1987, and now is a member of the Bar of this Court in good standing.

Witness my signature and the seal of said
Court hereto affixed, the day and year
first above written.

Stephen E. Carter Clerk,
Court of Appeals of Georgia

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United States Court of Appeals



For the
Seventh Circuit

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Certificate of Good Standing

I, Christopher G. Conway, Clerk of the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit, do hereby certify that Elizabeth C. Helm was on the Sixth day of March, in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty, admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counsellor for the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit, and that said Attorney has ever since been in good standing.

In Testimony Whereof, I, Christopher G. Conway, hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit, this Sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty two.



Christopher G. Conway

Clerk of the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit



CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA }
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA }
 } ss.
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I, Kevin P. Weimer, Clerk of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia,

DO HEREBY CERTIFY that **ELIZABETH CATHERINE HELM, State Bar No. 289930**, was duly admitted to practice in said Court on August 10, 1987, and is in good standing as a member of the bar of said Court.

Dated at Atlanta, Georgia, this 15th day of February, 2022.

KEVIN P. WEIMER
CLERK OF COURT

By:


Stephanie Wilson-Bynum
Deputy Clerk



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

I, David W. Bunt, Clerk of this Court,
certify that ELIZABETH C. HELM, Bar No. 289930
was duly admitted to practice in this Court on
January 31, 1995, and is in good standing
as a member of the Bar of this Court.

Dated at Athens, Georgia on February 11, 2022.



David W. Bunt
CLERK

s/ Gail G. Sellers
DEPUTY CLERK

**United States District Court
Southern District of Texas**

Certificate of Good Standing

I, Nathan Ochsner, Clerk of Court, United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, certify that the attorney identified below is admitted to practice in this court, and is in good standing as a member of the Bar of this Court.

Elizabeth C Helm, Federal ID No 29004

Admission date: July, 11, 2006

Dated February 14, 2022, at Houston, Texas.



Nathan Ochsner, Clerk of Court

By: Claire Cassady, Deputy Clerk



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United States District Court

Eastern District of Wisconsin

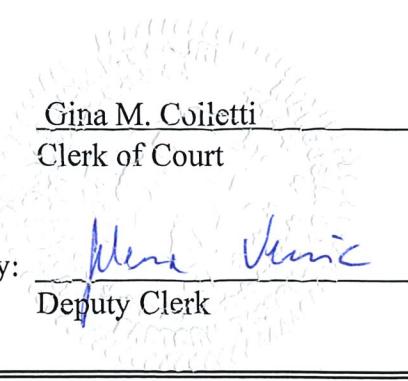
Certificate of Good Standing

I, GINA M. COLLETTI, Clerk of the United States District Court, Eastern District of Wisconsin,

DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Elizabeth C Helm, Bar #289930, was duly admitted to practice in this Court on November 15, 2018 and is in good standing as a member of the Bar of this Court. I further certify that there are no disciplinary actions on file with this court.

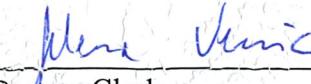
Dated at Milwaukee, Wisconsin

on February 15, 2022


Gina M. Coiletti

Clerk of Court

By:


Deputy Clerk

Certificate of Good Standing

*UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS*

I, JEANNETTE J. CLACK, Clerk of the United States District Court, Western District of Texas, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that Elizabeth C. Helm, Bar #, was duly admitted to practice in said Court on 11/15/2019, and is in good standing as a member of the bar of said Court.

Signed at San Antonio, Texas on 2/11/2022.



JEANNETTE J. CLACK, Clerk

BY:



Certificate of Good Standing and Letter of No Disciplinary History

United States District Court
District of Colorado

I, Jeffrey P. Colwell, Clerk of the United States District Court
DO HEREBY CERTIFY

ELIZABETH CATHERINE HELM

was admitted to practice in this court on

JUNE 22, 2020

and is in good standing with no disciplinary history in this court.

Dated: February 11, 2022

Jeffrey P. Colwell, Clerk



By: Mark J. Fredrickson
Deputy Clerk